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Bconcl'd~~self-adhesive sheet according to claim 11 between the floor covering and the floor.~~~~28. A method according to claim 27, in which the floor covering is a carpet.~~~~29. A method according to claim 28, in which the floor is parquet.--~~

REMARKS

This corresponds in substance to an amendment filed in the international stage but is tailored to U.S. practice by avoiding having any multiple dependent claim depend from another multiple dependent claim and by making preferred and most preferred ranges the subject of separate claims. Moreover, so that more weight can be given to the context in which the backing is used, method claims have been added.

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